









## PRINCE ALBERT

**Accident.** Monday, Jan. 5.  
A serious wreck occurred on Saturday morning last at Disley Hill, Prince Albert branch, some cars of incoming freight leaving the rails and tumbling over the hill. One car and contents are said to be reduced to matchwood, the others not being so badly used up.

Chas. Fisher, M.L.A., for Bathe, has taken a position in the lands office of the province in Prince Albert. The growing business in this office made the securing of extra assistance imperative.

Real estate is moving. The latest important transaction is the purchase, by Mr. G. W. Baker, of the brick store now occupied by the Prince Albert Trading Co., from Mr. T. O. Davis, M.P., at a very good figure.

Mr. G. B. Russell reports business booming at his packing house. The supply of hogs is keeping up well, and the strange and rather necessary machinery is in constant operation. His export of put hams and bacon products on the market in a short time. Large quantities of quality and sausage is now being sold, finding a ready market.

## STRATHONA

L. O. L. installation of officers, Tuesday evening, Jan. 13th:

N. D. Mills, W. M.  
J. Carmichael, chaplain.  
J. Jackson, D. M.  
J. D. Hutton, R. S.  
W. Vogel, P. S.  
J. J. Mellon, Treasurer.  
John Shields, D. P. C.  
W. Johnston, secretary.

## BATTLEFORD

**Herald.** Jan. 7.  
The Herald celebrated its 25th birthday with its first issue after New Years. It was the first paper printed in the Territories, and has never changed hands. P. G. Bourke was the founder, and is still the proprietor.  
Mr. Mackenzie and party reached Battleford on the 3rd, and after storing their camp equipment left for Winnipeg on the 6th. The location survey is completed from a point on the main line on the Grand View section to Edmonton.

Mr. Vance's party of C. P. R. surveyors is camped near the mouth of Beaver Creek. Mr. Vance has gone to Winnipeg for a short time, his place in the meantime being taken by another engineer sent out from Winnipeg.

The number of homestead entries at the Battleford land office in December was 59, and in January, 1903, the total number of entries at this office up to January 1, 1903, was 306; total number of entries in 1902, was 1008, equal to the number made from the opening of the office up to the end of 1901.

A sturgeon eight feet long and weighing 128 pounds was recently caught in Jackfish lake.

## Greenway on Manitoba

Toronto, Jan. 10.—The Hon. Thomas Greenway, leader of the opposition in the Manitoba legislature, is in the city on a business visit. He expects to stay about two weeks in Ontario.

Referring to an order issued by the C. P. R. to their agents to refuse all wheat shipments for Fort William and Port Arthur, Mr. Greenway said he believed that the grain now on the cars will fill the elevators at both places and the C. P. R. has no more room anywhere for wheat.

Manitoba farmers, he says, still have a very large quantity of wheat for shipment, but they will have to store it on their farms as best they can. No harm will come to the grain in winter, but when thaws and rains set in, grain stored in temporary granaries will, in many cases, be severely damaged. The condition is a somewhat serious one.

Of Manitoba, politically, Mr. Greenway had but little to say. He believed the legislature would meet almost immediately; dissolution must take place before January of next year, so the government has a chance to fix the time of next election at any time they desired during the next twelve months.

He understood the Canadian Northern company was carrying out its agreement with the province.

## SAMPLES OF GRAIN

FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF SEED

Editor Bulletin.—The hon. minister of agriculture another distribution will be made this season of samples of the most productive sorts of grain to Canadian farmers for the improvement of seed. The stock for distribution is the very best and has been secured by the director of the experimental farms from the excellent crops recently had in the Canadian Northwest. The distribution this spring will consist of samples of oats, spring wheat, barley, Indian corn and spring wheat. The quantity of oats, wheat, barley and Indian corn will be sufficient to sow one twentieth of an acre. The samples of Indian corn and oats will weigh 5 lbs. as heretofore. Every farmer may apply, but only one sample can be sent to each applicant, hence if an individual receives a sample of oats he cannot also receive one of wheat, barley or potatoes, and applications for more than one sample for one household cannot be entertained. These samples will be sent free of charge through the mail.

Applications should be addressed to the director of experimental farms, Ottawa, and may be sent in any time before the 1st of March, after which the lists will be closed, so that the samples asked for may be sent out in good time for sowing. Parties who should mention the sort or variety they would prefer, and should also state the kind of soil and the available stock of the kind asked for be exhausted, some other good sort will be sent in its place.

W. M. SAUNDERS,

Director Experimental Farms,  
Ottawa, December 22, 1902.

## SCARLET FEVER AT BATTLEFORD

**Herald.** Jan. 7.  
Only two cases of scarlet fever have been reported to the health officers since our last issue, and one of them was in a house already quarantined. All these affected up to that date are progressing favorably. No health officer has as yet been appointed by the government in consequence of the prevailing

Boys' Clothing  
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Every parent knows just how hard his boy is on clothes and we add that few fathers or mothers in reality care if their boys are a little rough in their play and clothes don't wear quite so long as they may have at first expected, for no right minded person likes an effeminate boy, for it is the sturdy, rough and ready little fellows who develop into the most useful class of Canadian citizenship. Our caution is—don't pay too much for boys' clothes, but get them good clothes at a fair price from a reputable firm which does not hesitate to replace with a new suit any which does not wear well. Now that the school season has opened again, the boy may need a new suit, nor can you make more advantageous investment than by the saving you make for these necessities at

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sickness the re-opening of the public schools has been deferred.

There was no service in either St. George's or the Presbyterian church on Sunday. The medical men at a conference on Saturday decided upon closing the churches as a precautionary measure. There is little use in quarantining a house and keeping the inmates confined when their dogs are allowed to go in and out at pleasure. One infected dog playing with other dogs on the street, and they again with others, will do more to spread contagion than if all the people in the house were visiting. Dogs in quarantined houses should be even more carefully secluded than their owners. Tie up or confine.

## HOTEL ARRIVALS

Wednesday.—Chas. F. Stewart, Fort Saskatchewan; John McCormick, Innisfail; D. C. Gourlay, S. Watt, Lacombe; J. C. Popler, Mr. Davis, Wetaskiwin; L. Farber, New York; F. J. Carter, Toronto; Adolphus Lamoureux, Larivière.

Thursday.—Alberta—C. R. Stovel, Winnipeg; H. E. Daniel, J. C. Hanett, Fort Saskatchewan; H. Chapman, Victoria; James Smart, Geo. Young, F. J. Dawson, A. E. Carmichael, H. Lyle, Calgary; J. J. Whalen, Montreal; Geo. A. Nelson, Lindsay; H. A. Day, N. S. Edgar, Geo. Holson, N. Morrison, E. McLeod, John McKent, R. Taylor, Lacombe; L. H. Doll, N. Hoad, J. G. Douglas, J. A. Palmer, E. E. Vincent, Mrs. McLeod, Mrs. Knox, E. L. McLeod, G. K. Jesson, Calgary; C. G. Cunningham, Greenwood.

Victoria—G. H. McAvoy, P. R. Caniff, O. K. Morris, Fort Saskatchewan; C. Bonar, Blackfalds; H. Parslow, Calgary.

Grandview—A. W. Tennant, Mornington; W. J. Kirby, Vancouver; H. O. Simpson, Lacombe; James Reynolds, Clover Bar; Geo. Ryan, Sun Ryan, Ray; Wm. Kruse, Spruce Grove; W. A. Hazlett, W. S. Lauer, Calgary; J. D. Francis, Toilett; W. E. Ryan, Rosedale.

Friday.—Queen's—Rev. J. C. Wace, New Lundo; Robt. Hare, Beaver Hills; E. Smith, advance agent, Ulele, Ryan; Cabin Co. W. J. Neil, O. K. Mahon, Forest City, Iowa; H. P. Lezer, Pleasant Dale, Neb.; J. J. Borseth, Seattle; John Gordon, H. H. Hesse, Devils Lake; N. D.; Geo. F. Wallace, Lawton, N. D.; M. G. Spaulding, Poplar Lake; Alfred J. Thompson, Corvath, N. B.; Jeanne, Wetaskiwin.

Jasper—John Cinnamon, Mrs. Elser, Agriola; F. A. Lillak, Bon Accord; F. A. Pierce, New Lundo.

Alberta—H. H. Welch, H. R. Fullerton, Victoria; J. R. Edmondson, J. J. Clark, Lamerton; A. T. Inskip, E. E. Scott, Lacombe; Hugh McGrand, Hunkle.

Victoria—P. Marshall, Egg Lake; H. O. Simpson, Lacombe.  
Grandview—Mr. and Mrs. J. Batty, Mrs. W. G. Leonard, J. W. Carroll, Sudley Lake; W. Bridge, Spruce Grove; Dan Brox, W. Krause, J. Wettlafer, Spruce Grove; P. Elliott, Hay Lake; David McGill, Star.

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